

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<b>In Re Application of:</b>	David Mark Allison
<b>Application No.:</b>	10/585473
<b>Filed:</b>	January 7, 2005
<b>For:</b>	BONE FIXING DEVICE
<b>Group Art Unit:</b>	3775

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Docket No:** G40.21-13290-US01

**PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136**

Applicant(s) hereby request a three month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed May 11, 2010. This petition is accompanied by \$555.00 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17 and is filed prior to or with the response.

Any outstanding fee for extension should be charged to our Deposit Account, No. 22-0350.

Respectfully submitted,  
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